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Inspection Report

Permit Number:	C0410002		
Inspection Type:	PARTIAL		
Inspection Date:	Tuesday, July 12, 2005		
Start Date/Time:	7/12/2005 9:22:00 AM		
End Date/Time:	7/12/2005 10:35:00 AM		
Last Inspection:	Wednesday, June 15, 2005		

Inspector: <u>Pete Hess, Environmental Scientist III</u>
Weather: Sunny and clear; hot, 80's to 90's F.

InspectionID Report Number: 664

Accepted by: whedberg 8/3/2005

Permitee: CANYON FUEL COMPANY LLC Operator: CANYON FUEL COMPANY LLC

Site: SUFCO MINE

Address: 397 S 800 W, SALINA UT 84654

County: SEVIER

Permit Type: PERMANENT COAL PROGRAM

Permit Status: ACTIVE

Current Acreages

Total Permitted	24,632.95	
Total Disturbed	27.36	
Phase I		
Phase II		
Phase III		

Mineral Ownership Types of Operations

✓ Federal	✓ Underground
✓ State	Surface
County	Loadout
Fee	Processing
Other	Reprocessing

Report summary and status for pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Division Orders, and amendments:

The Permittee continues to submit surface and ground water monitoring information in an electronic form to the Division EDI web site on a quarterly basis, thus meeting the Special Permit Condition included as Attachment "A" of the current State permit, C/041/002.

There are no compliance actions currently pending for the SUFCO Mine permit area.

The Division completed the first round review of the SUFCO MRP for the midterm permit review process on July 8, 2005. The Permittee must respond to and adequately address eleven deficiencies which were identified by the various disciplines. That response is due by September 5, 2005.

There were no Permittee representatives available this day to participate in the partial inspection.

There were no compliance actions identified during today's inspection.

Inspector's Signature

Date

Tuesday, July 12, 2005

Pete Hess, Environmental Scientist III
Inspector ID Number: 46

Note: This inspection report does not constitute an affidavit of compliance with the regulatory program of the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining.

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REVIEW OF PERMIT, PERFORMANCE STANDARDS PERMIT CONDITION REQUIREMENTS

- 1. Substantiate the elements on this inspection by checking the appropriate performance standard.
 a. For COMPLETE inspections provide narrative justification for any elements not fully inspected unless element is not appropriate to the site, in which case check Not Applicable. b. For PARTIAL inspections check only the elements evaluated.
- 2. Document any noncompliance situation by reference the NOV issued at the appropriate performance standard listed below.
- Reference any narratives written in conjunction with this inspection at the appropriate performace standard listed below.
 Provide a brief status report for all pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Divison Orders, and amendments.

		Evaluated	Not Applicable	Comment	Enforcement
1.	Permits, Change, Transfer, Renewal, Sale				
2.	Signs and Markers	✓			
3.	Topsoil				
4.a	Hydrologic Balance: Diversions	✓		✓	
4.b	Hydrologic Balance: Sediment Ponds and Impoundments				
4.c	Hydrologic Balance: Other Sediment Control Measures				
4.d	Hydrologic Balance: Water Monitoring				
4.e	Hydrologic Balance: Effluent Limitations				
5.	Explosives				
6.	Disposal of Excess Spoil, Fills, Benches				
7.	Coal Mine Waste, Refuse Piles, Impoundments	✓		✓	
8.	Noncoal Waste	✓			
9.	Protection of Fish, Wildlife and Related Environmental Issues				
10.	Slides and Other Damage		~		
11.	Contemporaneous Reclamation		✓		
12.	Backfilling And Grading		✓		
13.	Revegetation		✓		
14.	Subsidence Control				
15.	Cessation of Operations		✓		
16.8	a Roads: Construction, Maintenance, Surfacing	✓			
16.	o Roads: Drainage Controls	✓			
17.	Other Transportation Facilities				
18.	Support Facilities, Utility Installations	✓		✓	
19.	AVS Check				
20.	Air Quality Permit				
21.	Bonding and Insurance				
22.	Other				

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4.a Hydrologic Balance: Diversions

The berm located on the eastern edge of the leach field (located in lower Convulsion Canyon) needs to have the ditch shoveled down. The material can then be added to the berm. The length requiring cleaning is approximately twenty feet.

7. Coal Mine Waste, Refuse Piles, Impoundments

There have not been any changes at the waste rock site since last month's inspection. A dozer was parked immediately in by the cable gate; it is assumed that this will be used to level and compact the piles of refuse which have been placed on the current lift.

18. Support Facilities, Utility Installations

The spring collection field, pump house, and leach field area were inspected this day. There were no compliance issues noted. All disturbed area perimeter markers and and Permittee identification signs were in place. The vegetation in the lower Canyon continues to thrive; the cheat grass is turning brown. All other vegetation species are lush and plentiful. The willows immediately down gradient of the spring collection field are thriving to the point that they are encroaching upon the access road travelway.